OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR Approved For Release 2004/01/15 : CIA-RDP80R01731R000800000019.3 SECURITY INFORMATION - SECRET 1/3753

## Rederal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Instice Washington 25. D. C.

July 17, 1953

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL VIA LIAISON

Mr. Allen W. Dulles Director, Central Intelligence Agency Administration Building Room 123 2430 E Street, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

I desire to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated Julu 13, 1953, concerning the case of Your comments concerning the cooperation afforded to the 25X1 Central Intelligence Agency by this Bureau and your specific commendation of the action taken by Mr. L. W. R. Oberndorf and Mr. Sam Papich are indeed appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

DOCUMENT NO. . NO CHANGE IN CLASS. ☐ DECLASSIFIED DEGLASSIFIED GLASS. CHANGED TO: TS & C 20// NEXT REVIEW DATE: . AUTH: HR 70-2 REVIEWER:

DATE: 31 MAR

25X1

FBI REVIEW COMPLETED. APPROVED WITH CIA REDACTIONS

SECURITY INFORMATION - SECRET

Approved For Release 2004/01/15 : ClA <del>80R01731</del>R000800090019-9

The Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Tenth and Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Allow me to express our official and personal appreciation of the excellent support and cooperation provided us on Saturday night in the case of Through the prompt action and careful work of your Washington Field Office, this delicate situation was resolved without further embarrassment.

In particular, I would like to commend Mr. 1. W. R. Oberndorf who handled the case in the Washington Field Office and Mr. Sam Papich who coordinated the action between our officials and yours with his usual good judgment.

I feel this incident is an outstanding example of close support and cooperation by your Bureau for this Agency.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles Director

SO:SE/cad 13 July '53

HO CHANGE IN CLASS. 🖂 DEGLASSIFIED CLASS. CHANGED TO: TS & MEXT REVIEW DATEL . AUTH: NB 10-2 REVIEWER.

25X1

25X1

25X1

Approved For Release 2004/01/15: CIA-RDP80R01731R000800090019-9